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Departmental Examination Rules Amending - for granting exemption to candidates who are overaged.

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA

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Dated the 1st November, 1977.

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By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra.

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(A.D.Vaidya)
Under Secretary to Government.

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